
Analysis for burst gravitational waves with TAMA300 data

- **Burst gravitational-wave search using TAMA300 data**
 - **Based on an excess power filter**
 - **Non-Gaussian noise reduction**
 - **Event candidate list**

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Introduction (1)

- Burst gravitational wave detection -



- **Short bursts of gravitational waves**
(from stellar core-collapse etc.)
 - **Waveforms : poorly predicted**
 - ➡ **cannot use matched filtering method for detection**
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 - **Look for unusual events in the detector output**
 - **Several filters have been proposed**
(Pulse correlation, Slope, TF Cluster, Excess power, ...)
 - **Detection efficiencies have been discussed with Gaussian, stationary noises**
 - **Some assumptions on waveform → higher efficiency**
 - **Few assumptions → low efficiency**

Introduction (2)

- Non-Gaussian noises -



- **Main output signal of a detector**

= (Stationary, Gaussian noise) + (Burst GW signals) + (Non-Gaussian noise)



Burst filters:

Look for and sensitive to

Unpredicted, non-stationary waveforms

- **Burst GW signals, Non-Gaussian noise**



Detection efficiency is limited by non-Gaussian noises



Non-Gaussian noise rejection is indispensable

- **Detector improvement**
- **Data analysis with a single detector**
- **Coincidence analysis**

Introduction (3)

- TAMA Burst gravitational wave analysis -



- **In our analysis ...**
 - **Excess power filter**
 - **Look for excess power in the detector output**
 - **Less assumptions: Time scale and Frequency band**

 - **Non-Gaussian noise rejection**
 - **Reduce false alarm rate (better efficiency)**
 - **Time scale selection**

 - **TAMA data**
 - **Data taking 6**
 - **1000 hour observation run in 2001**

 - **Event candidate list**

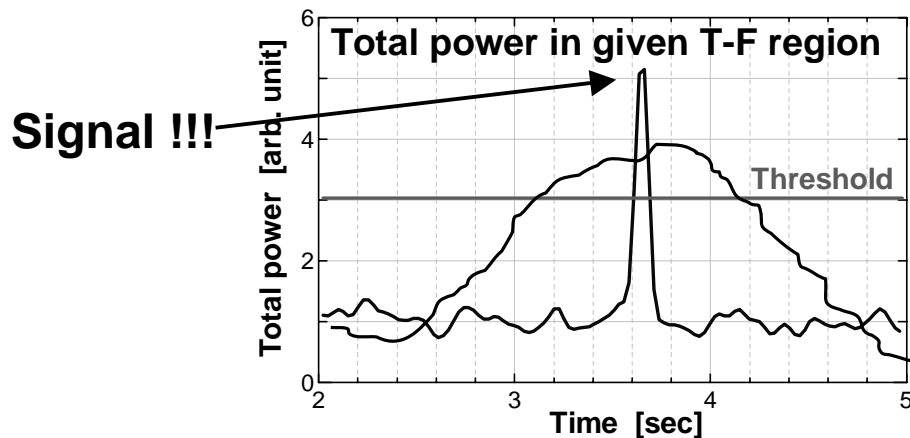
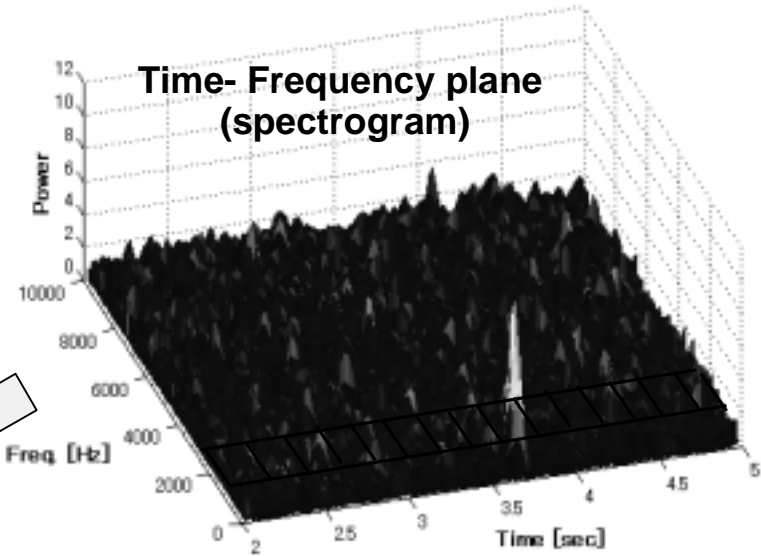
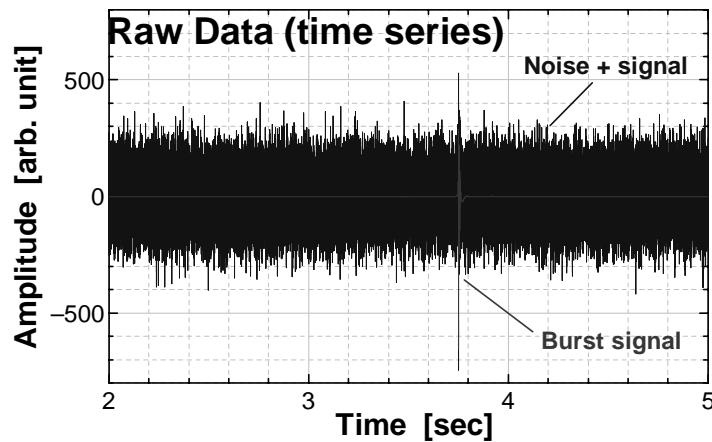
Burst filters (1)

- Excess power filter -



- **Excess power filter**

- **Total power in selected time-frequency region**



**Effective if
time-frequency range of the signal
is known**

Non-Gaussian noise evaluation (1)

- Reduction of non-Gaussian noise -



- **Non-Gaussian noise reduction**

Distinguish GW signal from non-Gaussian noises with time-scale of the 'unusual signals'

⇒ **GW from gravitational core collapse < 100 msec,**
Noise caused by IFO instability > a few sec

- **2 statistics in detector output**

- **Averaged noise power**

- **2nd-order moment of noise power**



Estimate parameter : 'GW likelihood'

$$C_1 = \langle P_j \rangle$$

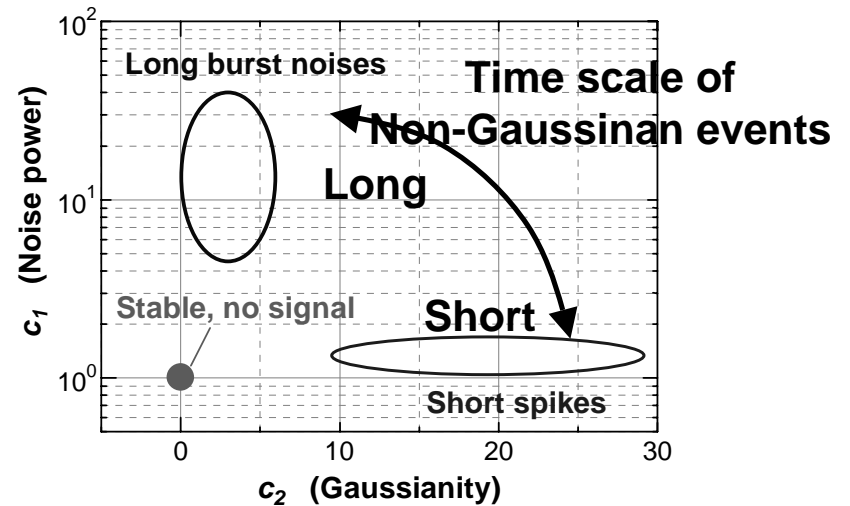
$$C_2 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\langle P_j^2 \rangle}{\langle P_j \rangle^2} - 2 \right)$$

Non-Gaussian noise evaluation (2)

- noise evaluation with C_1 - C_2 correlation -

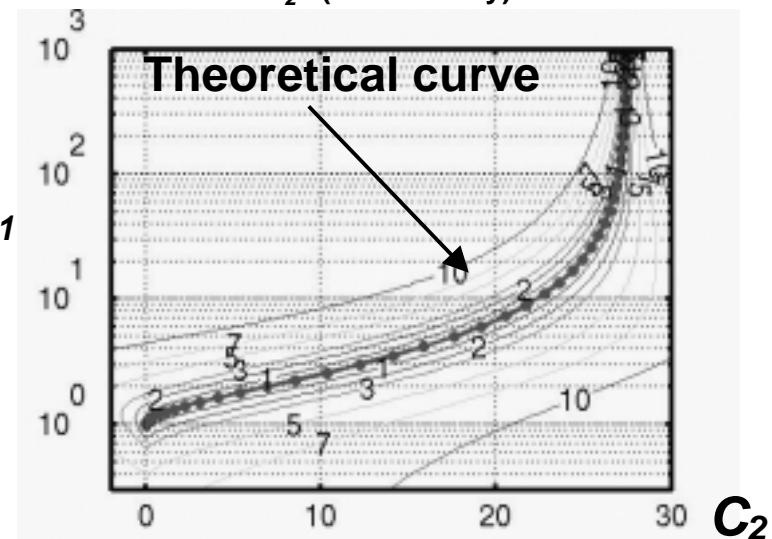


- **Correlation plot: C_1 and C_2**
 - Different behaviors for
 - Stable operation
 - Short pulse
 - Degradation of noise level many burst noises



- **Distance (D) to the curve**
→ 'Likelihood' to be GW signal

**Reduce non-Gaussian noise
Without rejecting GW signals**



TAMA300 data (1)

-Data taking runs with TAMA300 -



Data Taking		Objective	Observation time	Typical strain noise level	Total data (Longest lock)
DT1	August, 1999	Calibration test	1 night	$3 \times 10^{-19} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$	10 hours (7.7 hours)
DT2	September, 1999	First Observation run	3 nights	$3 \times 10^{-20} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$	31 hours
DT3	April, 2000	Observation with improved sensitivity	3 nights	$1 \times 10^{-20} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$	13 hours
DT4	Aug.-Sept., 2000	100 hours' observation data	2 weeks (night-time operation)	$1 \times 10^{-20} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$ (typical)	167 hours (12.8 hours)
DT5	March, 2001	100 hours' observation with high duty cycle	1 week (whole-day operation)	$1.7 \times 10^{-20} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$ (LF improvement)	111 hours
DT6	Aug.-Sept., 2001	1000 hours' observation	50 days	$5 \times 10^{-21} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$	1038 hours (22.0 hours)
DT7	Aug.-Sept., 2002	Full operation with Power recycling	2 days		25 hours
DT8	Feb.-April., 2003	1000 hours Coincidence	2 months	$3 \times 10^{-21} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$	1157 hours (20.5 hours)

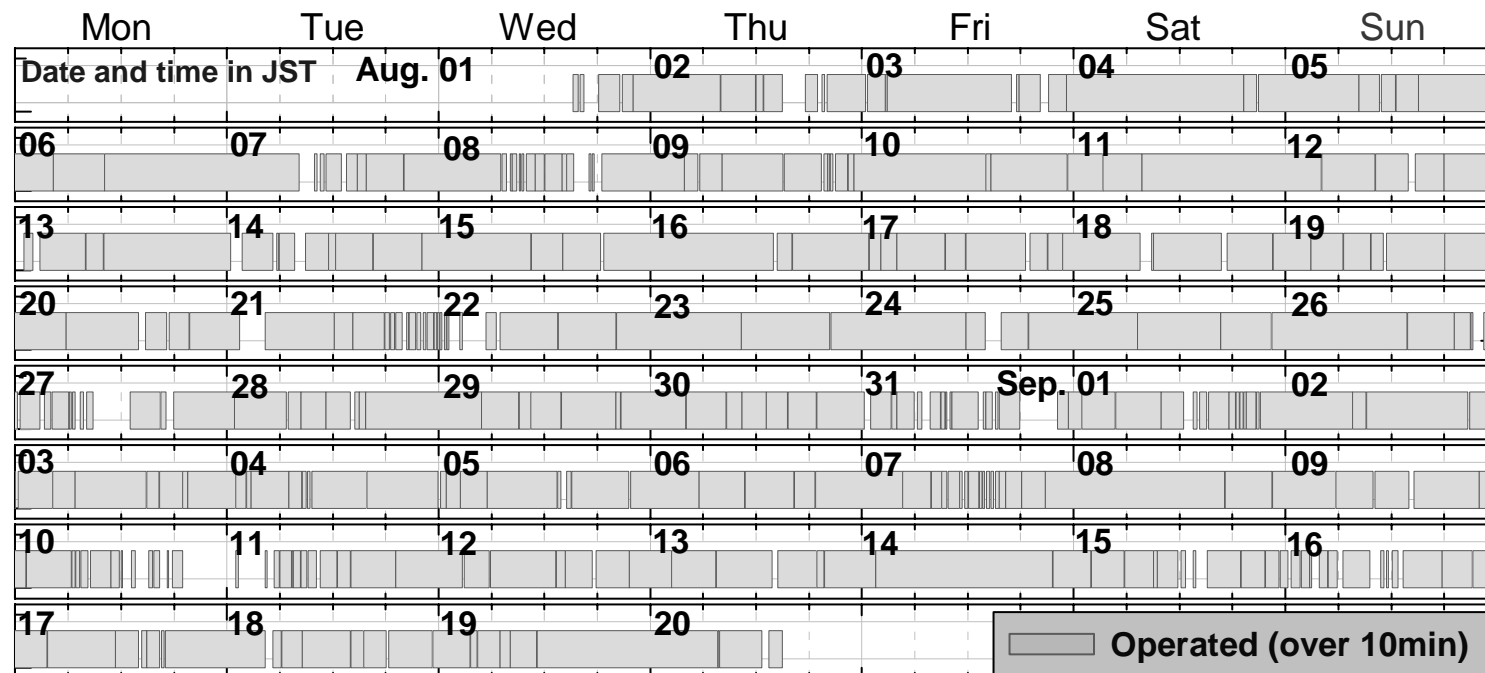
TAMA300 data (2)

- Data Taking 6 -



- Data Taking 6 (August 1- September 20, 2001, 50 days)

➔ Over 1000 hours' observation data



TAMA300 data analysis (1)

- Selection of parameters -




- **Selection of time window, frequency band**

- **Time window: smaller → larger S/N**

- Lower frequency resolution
(Easily affected by AC line etc.)

- **Frequency band: wider → larger S/N**


- Use frequency band
with larger noise level


$$\Delta t = 200 \text{ [msec]},$$
$$\Delta f = 500 \text{ [Hz]}$$

- **Determination of thresholds**

- **Threshold:**

- **Distance to theoretical curve: D_{th}**
Should be optimized
depending on noise behavior


$$D_{th} = 5,$$
$$\text{(F.D. < 1 ppm)}$$

- **False dismissal rate: estimated by**
Monte-Carlo simulation
Theoretical calculation

TAMA300 data analysis (2)

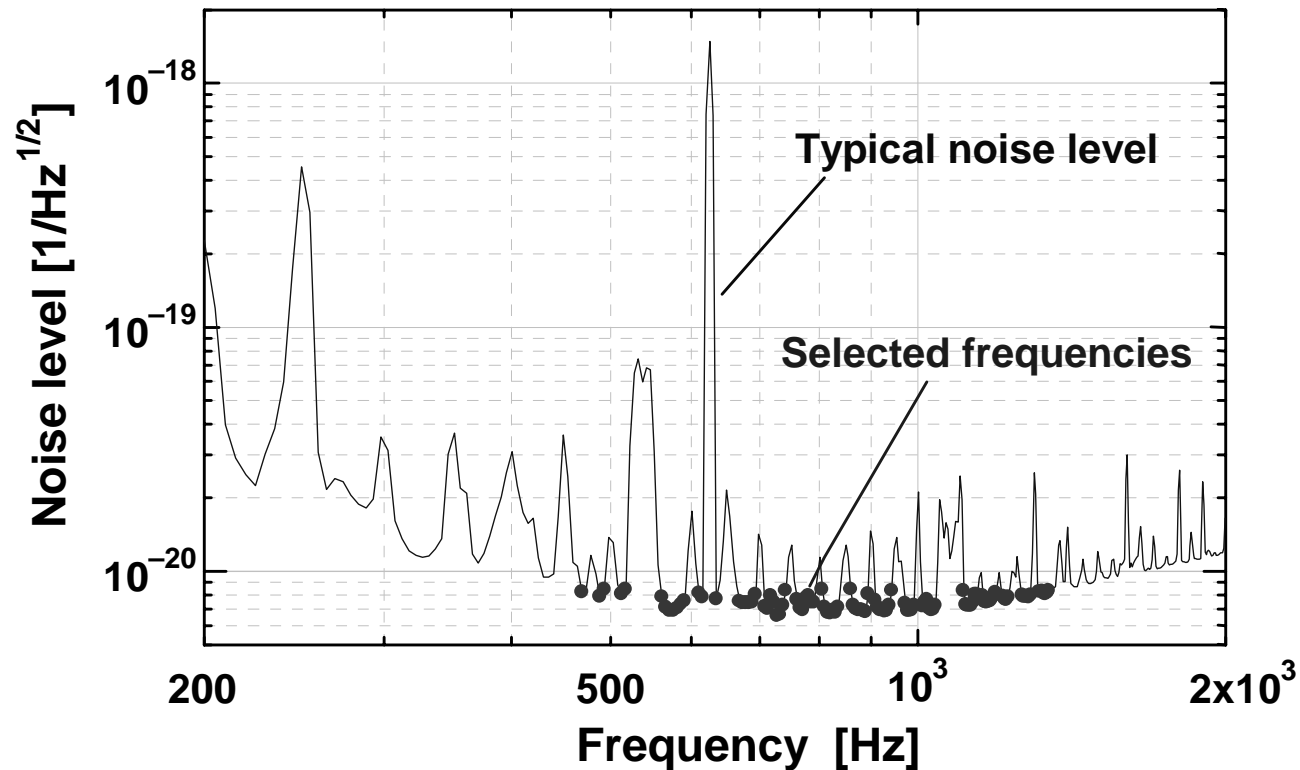
- Typical noise level of TAMA300 -



- Typical noise level of TAMA300 during DT6

About $7 \times 10^{-21} / \text{Hz}^{1/2}$

- Selection of frequency bands for analysis $\rightarrow \Delta f = 500$ [Hz]



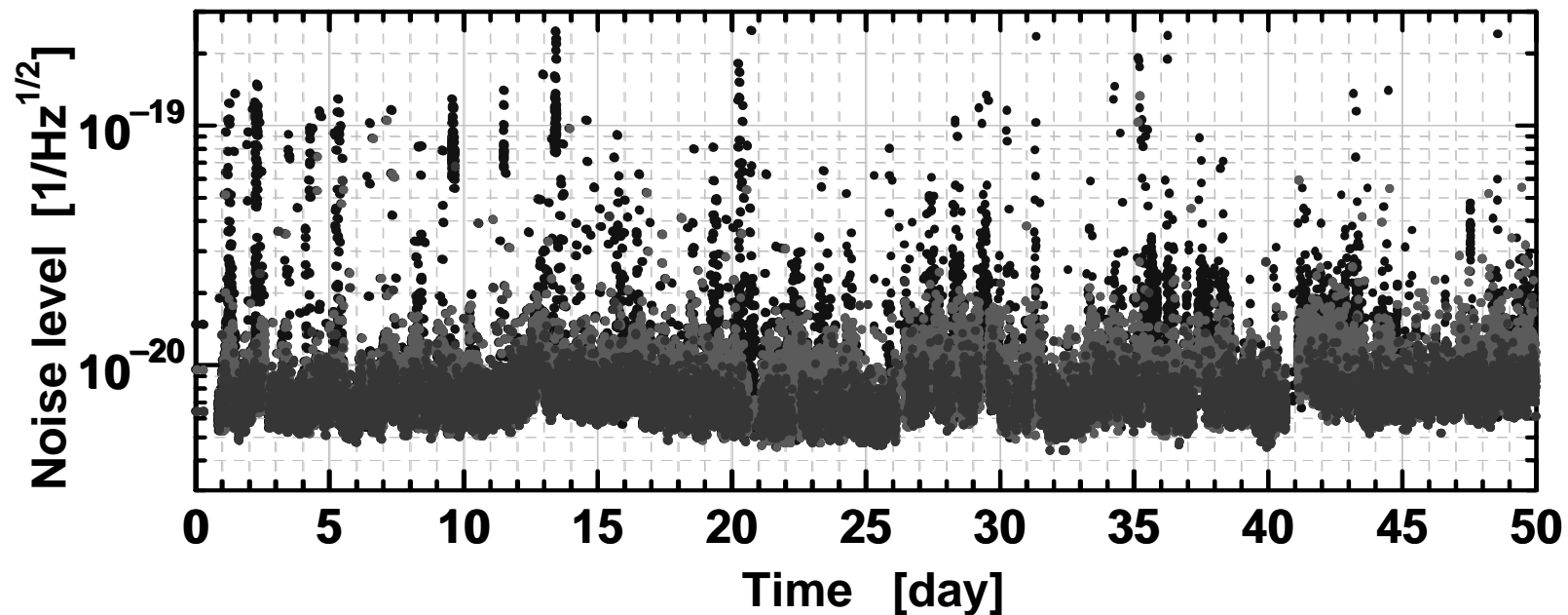
TAMA300 data analysis (3)

- time-series data -



- **Data Taking 6 time-series data**

Confirm reduction of non-Gaussian noises (in daytime)
Rejected data : 60% (False dismissal rate < 1ppm)
(23% if threshold is $D_{th}=20$)



TAMA300 data analysis (4)

- event rate -



- **Event rate (Integrated histogram)**

- **Non-Gaussian noise rejection**

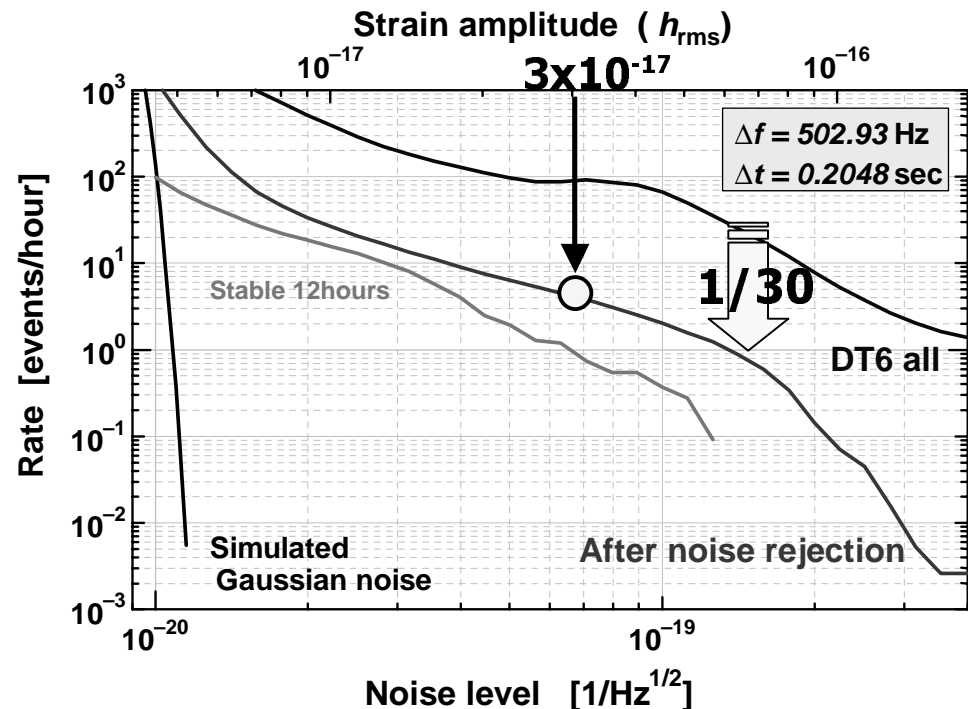
⇒ **1/30 improvement**
(380 hour data survived)

- $h_{\text{rms}}: 3 \times 10^{-17}$ (1msec spike)
→ 4 events/hour

- **Still far from Gaussian**

- **Stable 12 hours**

$h_{\text{rms}}: 3 \times 10^{-17}$
→ 1 events/hour



TAMA300 data analysis (5)

- Event rate change in a day -



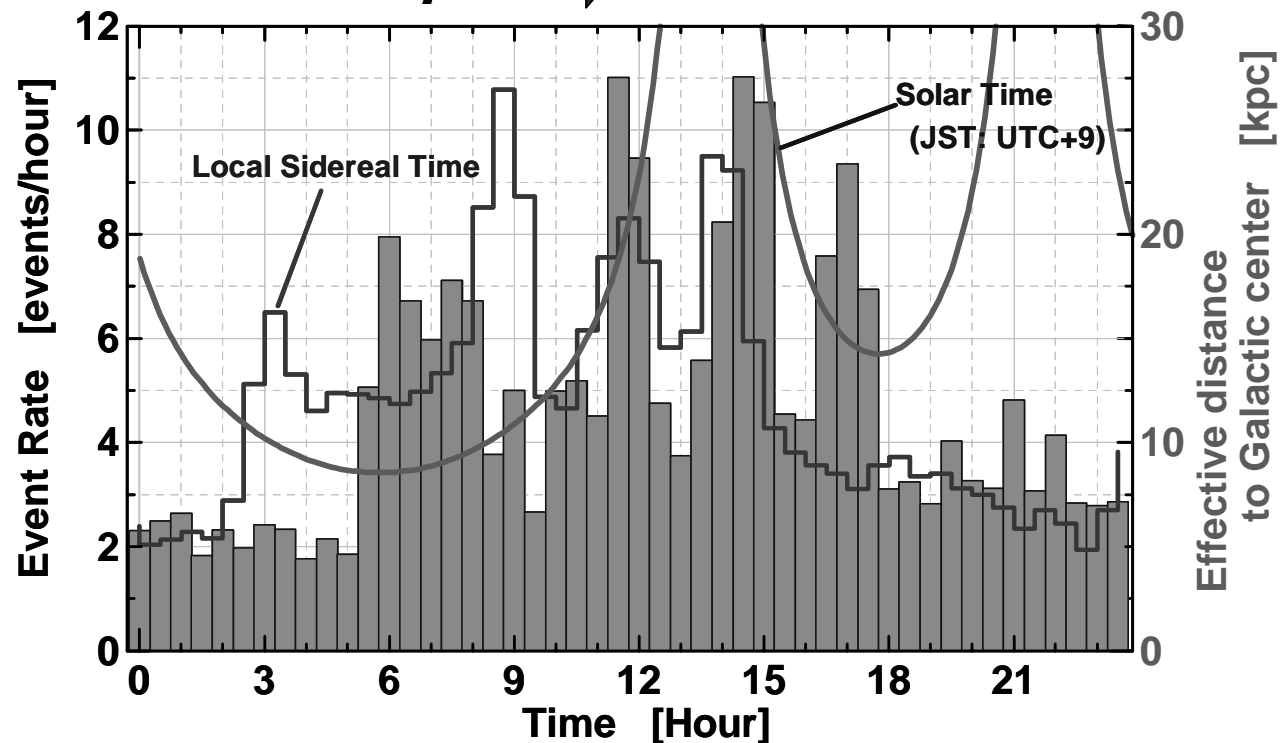
- **Event rate dependence on time**

for events : $h_{\text{rms}} > 3 \times 10^{-17}$ ($6.6 \times 10^{-20} \text{ 1/Hz}^{1/2}$)

- **Total : 4 events/hour**

- **Factor of 5 difference between daytime and midnight**

- **Sidereal time analysis** ➡ **no clear correlation**



Summary



- **Burst gravitational wave search**

- **Data:** TAMA300 DT6, 1000-hour data (Summer 2001)
- **Target:** Short bursts < 100msec
- **Method:** Excess power filter

Non-Gaussian noise rejection: Time scale selection

- **Reduce non-Gaussian noises**
- **Better upper limits, detection efficiency**



- **Event candidate list**

- **Burst GW signal event rate**
4 events/hour for $h_{\text{rms}} \sim 3 \times 10^{-17}$ (1msec pulse)
(or 6.6×10^{-20} 1/Hz^{1/2}, 3×10^{-21} 1/Hz)
- **Reduce non-Gaussian noise: 1/30 - 1/300**

Current and Future Tasks



- **Burst filter**
 - **Optimization of parameters**
(Data length, Frequency band, Thresholds)
 - **Other filters**
Better efficiency to GW events

- **Non-Gaussian noise rejection**
 - **Single detector**
 - **Detector improvement**
 - **Data processing (veto using auxiliary signals)**
 - **Correlation with other detectors**
 - **Other GW detectors**
→ with LIGO, ROG (in preparation)
 - **Other astronomical channels**
(Super novae, Gamma-ray burst, etc.)

- **More data : we have 2000-hour data up to DT8**

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Burst filter implementation

- Data processing -

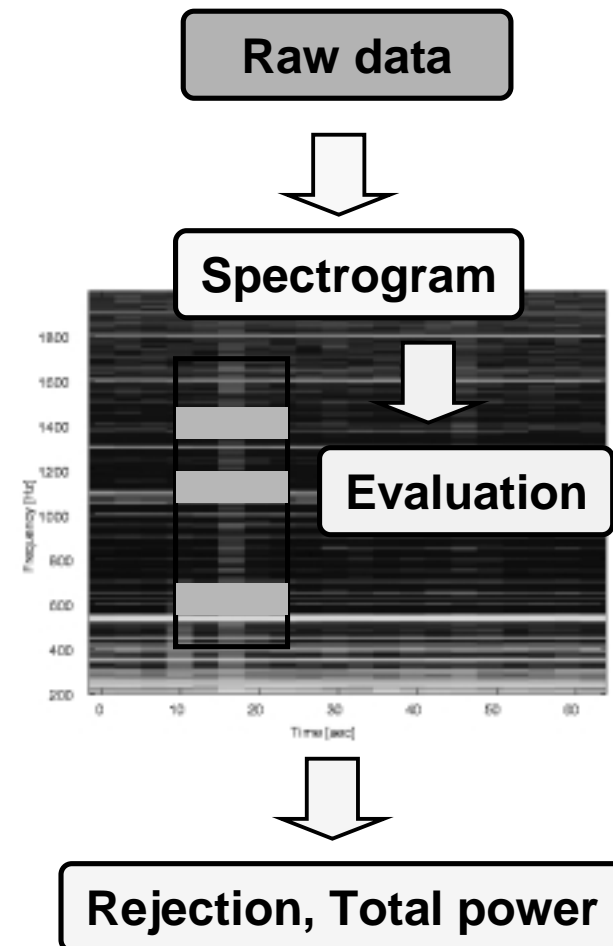


• Data Processing

1. Calculate Spectrogram by FFT
2. Sum up the power in frequency components to be evaluated
3. Evaluate GW likelihood
(Threshold D_{th})
4. Reject given time region if it has large 'non-GW likelihood'



- 'Filter' outputs for each time chunk
 - Total power in selected time-frequency region
 - 'Stable time' or detector 'Dead time'



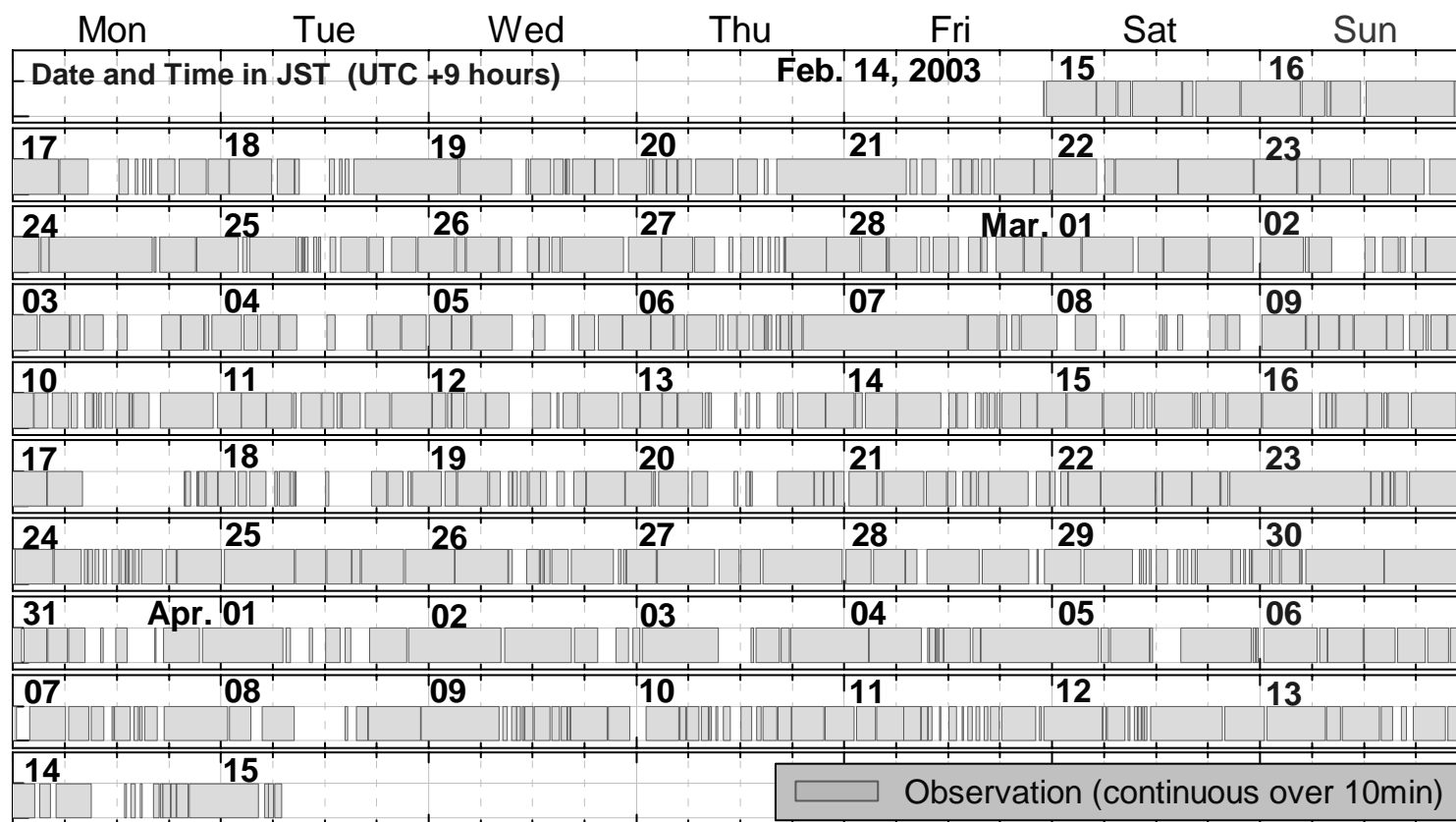
Data taking 8 (1)

- Detector operation status in DT8 -



- Operation status calendar

Total operation : 1157 hours



Detection efficiency (1)

- GW waveforms -



- **Numerical simulation of super novae**

H.Dimmelmeier et al,
Astron. Astrophys. 393 (2002) 523.

⇒ **26 gravitational waveforms**

- Relativistic rotational core collapse
- Various waveforms
- Discrete three parameters

Degree of diff. rotation
Initial rotation rate
Adiabatic index



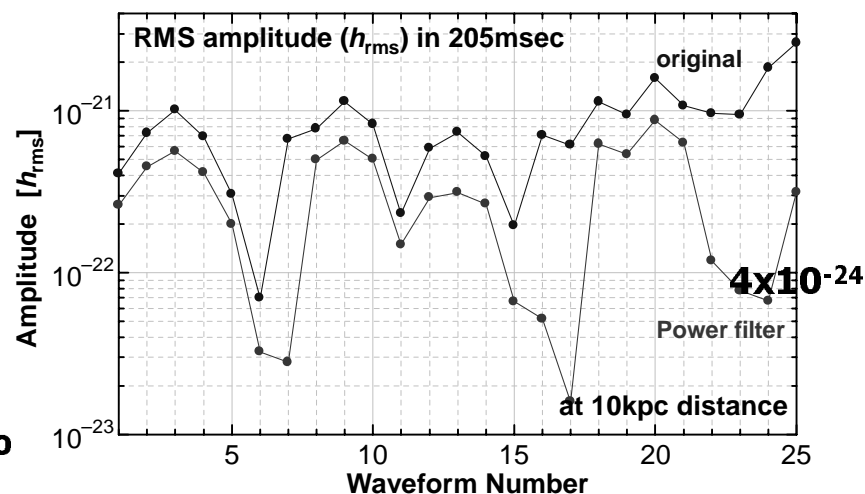
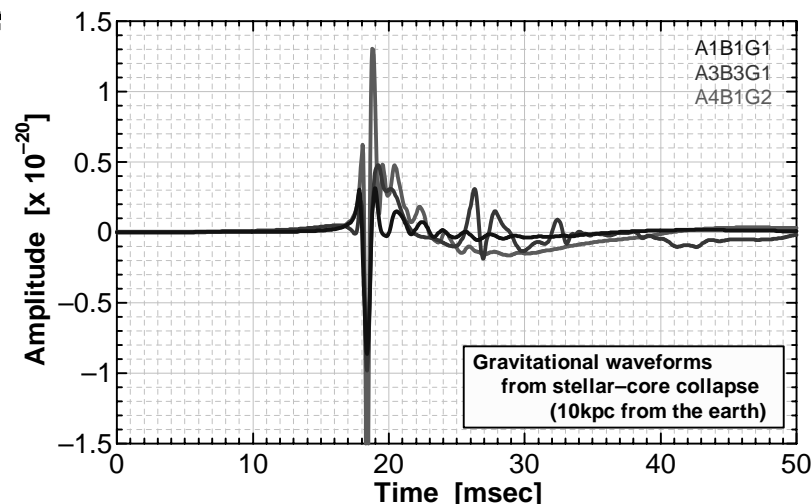
Not suitable for templates

- **Common characteristics**

⇒ **Short bursts**

- **Power filter analysis**

- 500Hz bandwidth
(between 400-1300Hz)
- averaged power in 200msec
- Average of amplitude ratio : 42%



Detection efficiency (2)

- Galactic model -



- Galactic model

 - Assumed model for neutron star distribution

$$dN = e^{-R^2/2R_0^2} e^{-Z/h_z} R dR dZ$$

(R_0 : 4.8 kpc, h_z : 1 kpc)

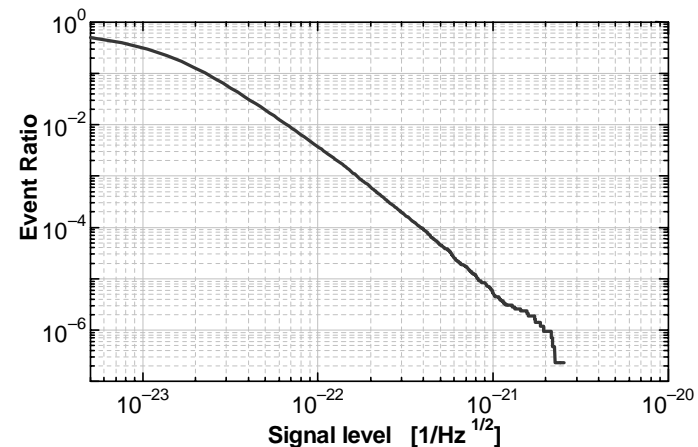
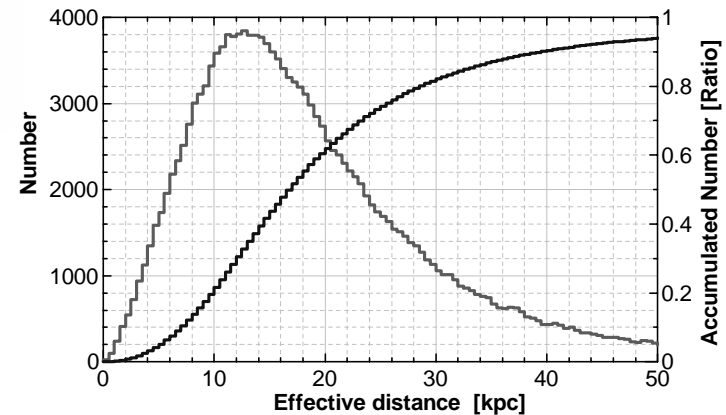
 - Consider source direction

⇒ Effective distance



- Power filter analysis

 - Ratio of larger events than a given signal level

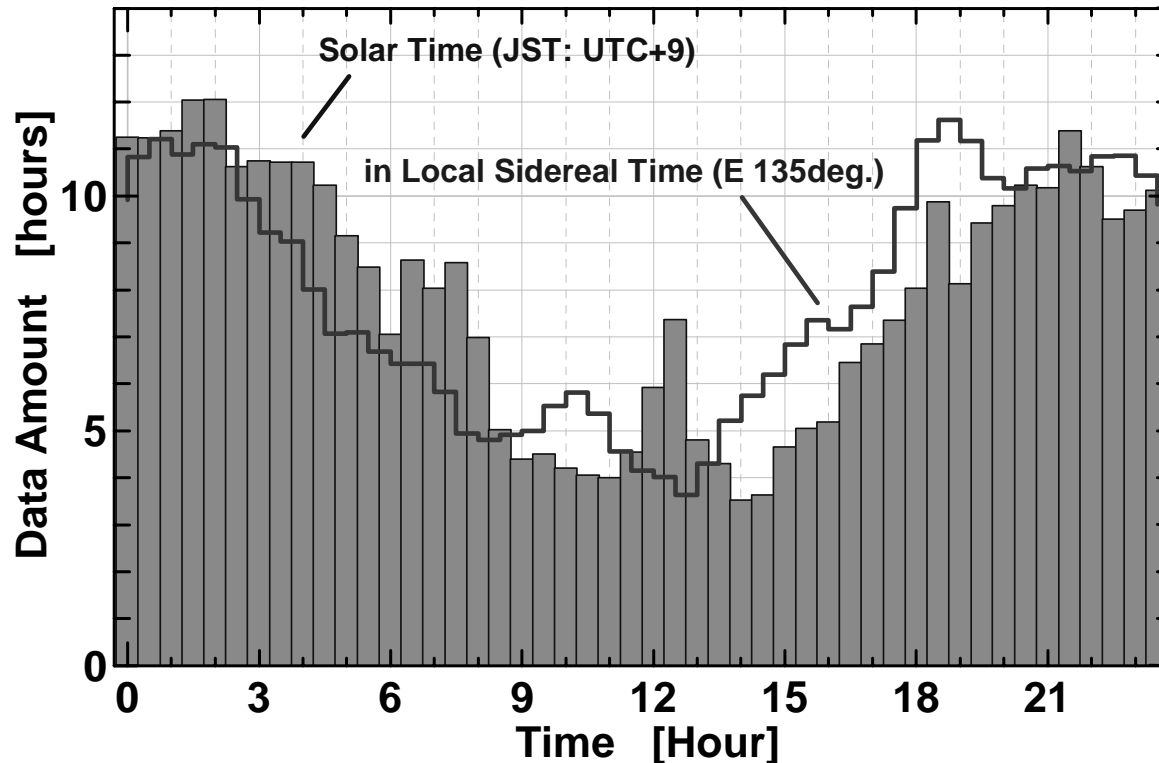


TAMA300 data analysis

- Stable data dependence on time -



- **Stable observation time**
 - **Total stable obs. time : 380hours**
 - **Factor of 3 difference between daytime and midnight**
 - **Peak at the lunch time**

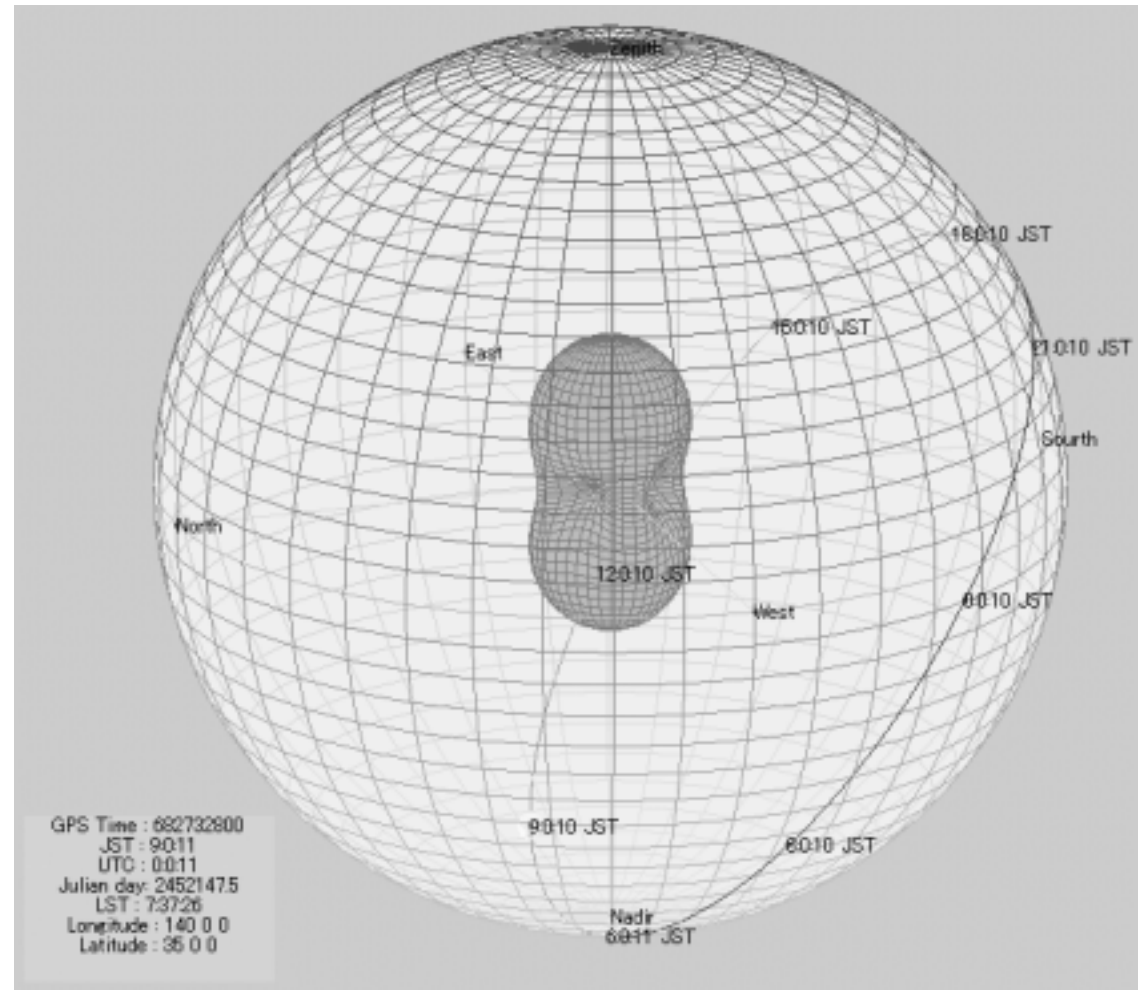


TAMA300 data analysis

- Detector sensitivity to Galactic center -

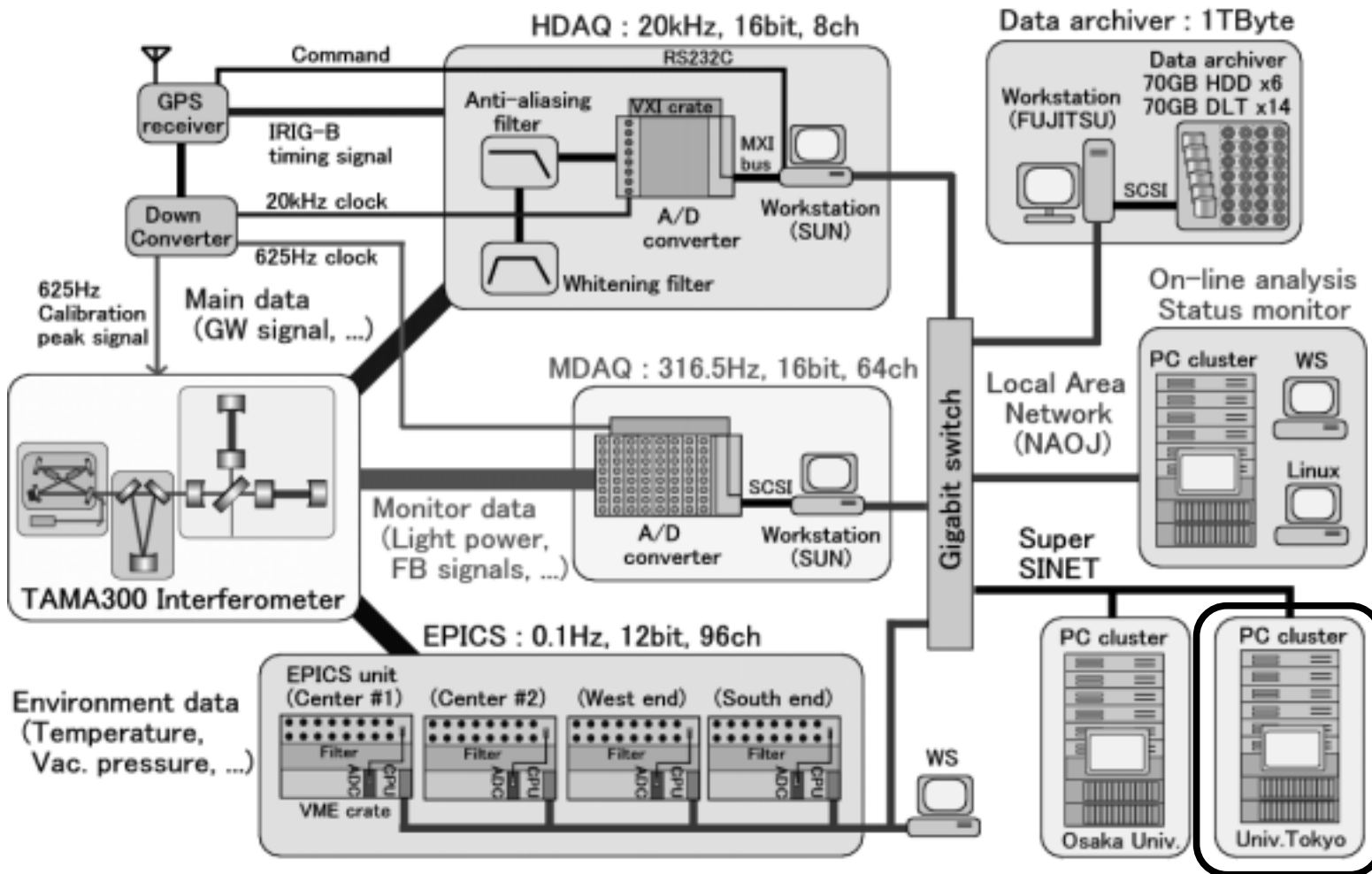


- **Daily motion of the Galactic center**



TAMA data analysis

- Data distribution and analysis -



Non-Gaussian noise rejection

- Hardware and software -



- **Computer for analysis**

- **Beowolf PC cluster**

- Athlon MP2000+ 20CPU, 10 node
 - Storage : 1TByte RAID
60GByte local HDDs/each node
 - Memory : 2GByte
 - Connection : Gigabit ethernet

- **Software**

- OS : Red Hat Linux 7.2
 - Job management : OpenPBS
(Portable Batch-queuing System)
 - for parallel processing : MPI
 - Compiler : PGI C/C++ Workstation
 - Software : Matlab, Matlab compiler



Non-Gaussian noise rejection

- Computation time -



- **Analysis time: 90% is for spectrogram calculation**

- **1 file (about 1 min. data)**

2560 FFT calculations ($N_{\text{FFT}} = 2^{12}$)

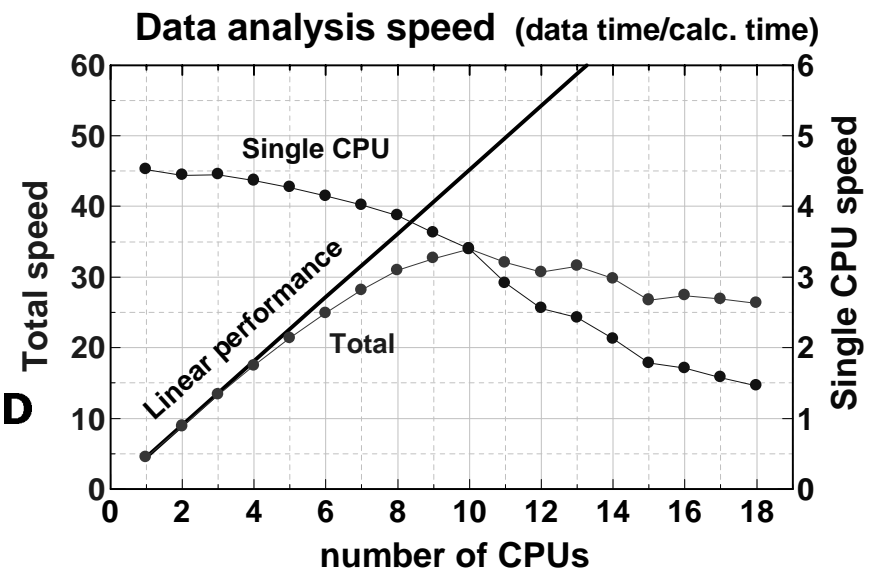
- **Distributed calculation with several CPUs (not a parallel computation)**
 - **Assign data files to each CPU**
 - **Minimum load for network**
 - **Easy programming, optimization**

- **Benchmark test**

$$\frac{(\text{Data Taking Time})}{(\text{Time for Analysis})} = \begin{cases} 4.5 & (1\text{CPU}) \\ 35 & (\text{max}) \end{cases}$$

- **Degradation with many CPUs**
 - **Data-readout time from HDD**
 - **Limited memory bus**

in each node



Burst wave analysis

- proposed filters -



- **Excess power**

- **Excess power statistic for detection of burst sources of gravitational radiation**

Warren G. Anderson, Patrick R. Brady, Jolien D. E. Creighton, and Éanna É. Flanagan
(University of Texas, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee etc),

Phys. Rev. D 63, 042003 (2001)

- **Slope detector**

- **Efficient filter for detecting gravitational wave bursts in interferometric detectors**

Thierry Pradier, Nicolas Arnaud, Marie-Anne Bizouard, Fabien Cavalier,
Michel Davier, and Patrice Hello (LAL, Orsay),

Phys. Rev. D 63, 042002 (2001)

- **Clusters of high-power pixels in the time-frequency plane**

- **Robust test for detecting nonstationarity in data from gravitational wave detectors**

Soumya D. Mohanty (Pennsylvania State University),

Phys. Rev. D 61, 122002 (2000)

- **Correlation with single pulse**

- **Detection of gravitational wave bursts by interferometric detectors**

Nicolas Arnaud, Fabien Cavalier, Michel Davier, and Patrice Hello (LAL, Orsay),

Phys. Rev. D 59, 082002 (1999)

Non-Gaussian noise evaluation (2)

- noise evaluation with C_1 - C_2 correlation -



- **Detector output model**

Stationary-Gaussian noise + GW signal, non-Gaussian noise

- **Correlation plot:**

C_1 and C_2

- **Stable operation**

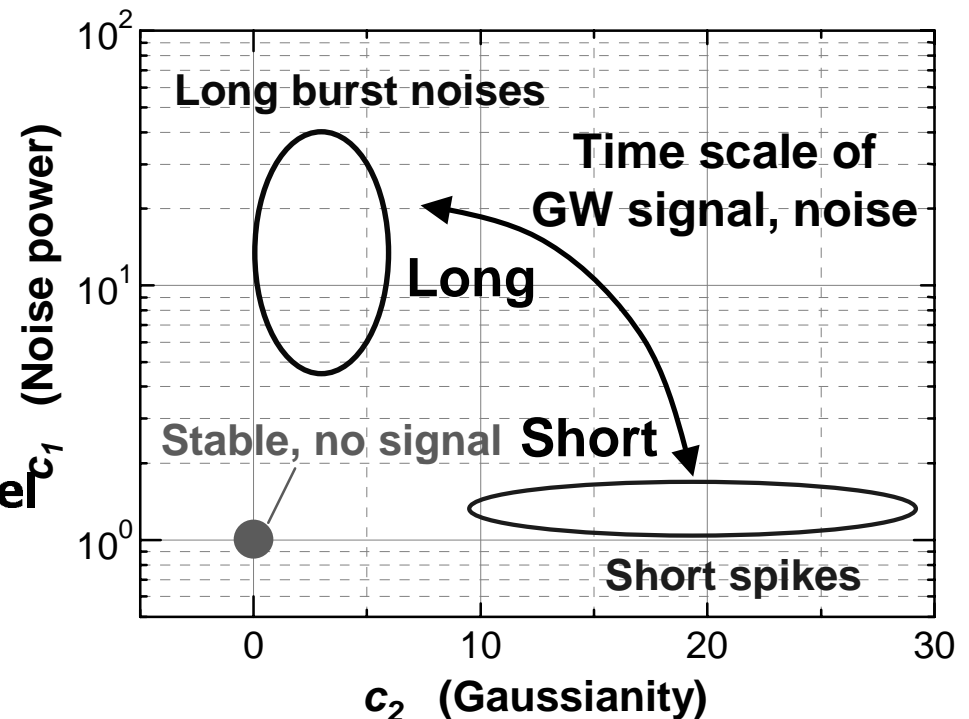
$$C_1 \rightarrow 1, \quad C_2 \rightarrow 0$$

- **Short pulse**

$$C_1 \rightarrow \text{small}, \quad C_2 \rightarrow \text{large}$$

- **Degradation of noise level**
many burst noises

$$C_1 \rightarrow \text{large}, \quad C_2 \rightarrow \text{small}$$



Non-Gaussian noise evaluation (4)

- Distance from theoretical curve -

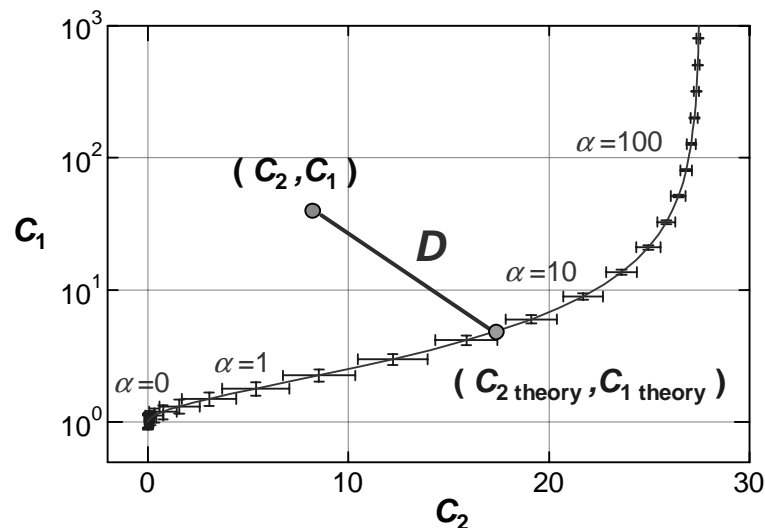


- **Theoretical calculation**

- Detector output
→ Gaussian noise + Non-Gaussian noise

C_1, C_2 , variance (S_1, S_2), covariance (S_{12})
function of signal amplitude (α)

C_1, C_2 with certain amplitude (α)
→ 2-D Gaussian distribution



- **Distance from the curve (deviation)**

$$D^2 = \frac{1}{M} \left\{ S_2 (C_1 - C_{1\text{theory}})^2 - 2S_{12} (C_1 - C_{1\text{theory}})(C_2 - C_{2\text{theory}}) + S_1 (C_2 - C_{2\text{theory}})^2 \right\}$$
$$(M = S_1 S_2 - S_{12}^2)$$

- **Search α for minimum D**

Non-Gaussian noise evaluation (3)

- theoretical curve in correlation plot -



- **Data model**

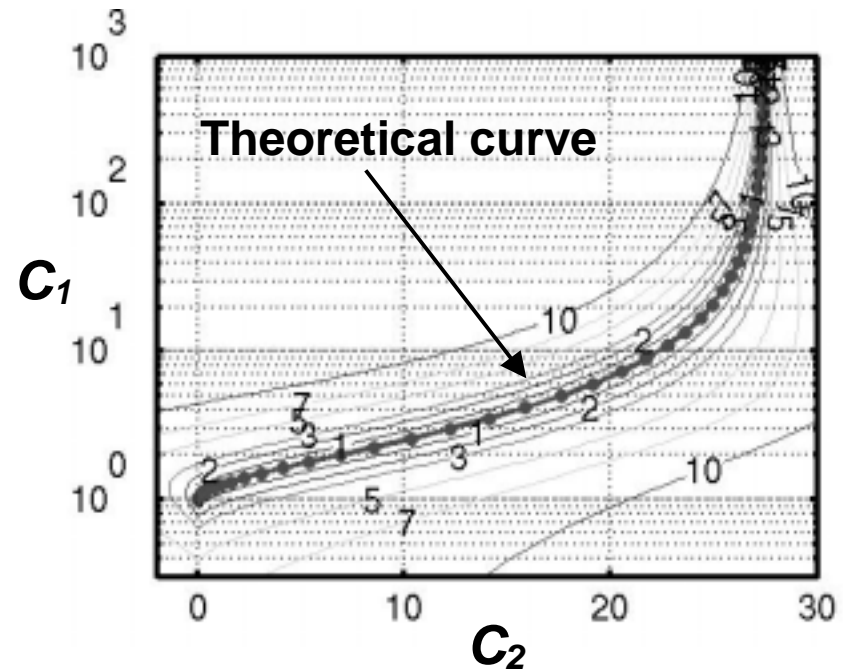
Gaussian noise + GW signals

Theoretical curve in correlation plot
(Consistent with simulation results)

- **Distance (D) to the curve**

--- Likelihood to be GW signal

Reduce non-Gaussian noise
Without rejecting GW signals



TAMA300 data evaluation (4)

- Estimation of averaged noise level -



- **Estimation of averaged (typical) noise level**
 - **Critical for non-Gaussian noise rejection**

- **Calculated for each frequency band**
 - **Use latest stable data**
 - Noise level < typical $\times \sqrt{2}$
 - Gaussianity < 0.1
 - **Average for 6 min.**